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In re application of:

Yoshihiko MINACHI, et al.

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Ferrite Magnet Powder, Sintered Magnet, Bond Magnet, and Magnetic Recording Medium

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Dear Sir

Transmitted herewith are an Amendment and RCE in the above-identified application.

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| | (Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | (Col. 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | | (Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA* | LG/SM S ENTITY FEE | ADD'L FEE DUE | |
|--|---|-----|---|-----|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|---|
| TOTAL CLAIMS FEE | 18 | - [| 20 | • | 0 | LG=\$52 SM=\$26 | s | 0 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE | 4 | - | 5 | ••• | 0 | LG=\$220 SM=\$110 | \$ | 0 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$380 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$180 | | | | | | | s | 0 |
| ADDITIONAL SIZE FEE (IF ANY) (TOTAL PAGES OF SPEC AND DRAWINGS TOGETHER) \$250 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL 50 SHEETS | | | | | | | s | 0 |
| Independent Claims: 1, 9, 17, 18 TOTAL | | | | | | | 5 | 0 |

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